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Dear Phil,

So good to hear from you, the rest of the stack can wait! Take it you are both well.

The submission will not be by a niece but a girl who works in the office of someone I know but who will no longer be welcome here because of his part in a literary thievery which isn't nearly as nasty as what it's part of.

We're both addicted to Buchwald, think he has a soecial kind of gonius even his hypochondria can't impede. So, we're glad to have the book, for which many thanks. That is the kind of reading that can be done in relaxing snatches.

Although I had the reprint of the incredible article by the personally incredible Lattimer, I'm glad to have the original, which includes the masthead. It also makes me wonder for what they have an advisory board. The pathologist knows nothing of pathology or isn't qualified or didn't read it. I haven't yet, but I've seen enough of it. I've had correspondence with the thing. Can't call him anothng else except a urologist. On every other description he falls. All his writing is incredible. He is an extremist who goes so far as to invent sources and then cite them as though they are real, do exist. It is all beyond belief.

The disturbing part about Bremer is that his finances can't be explained, and there are authenticated associations during the crucial period I suspect the trials will not go into. His doubts will linger. If he does.

Don't worry about the Nat. Enq. In the simplest form I could conceive it was too complicated for their readers. I didn't tell the whole story, just used it as a spring-board and asked what will happen when a really rbright nut starts cat-and-mousing an assassination, and use that as an example, and the official dismissal.

As I look again, if the story is charming, maybe I did say something I've forgotten about one niece, in high school. Didn't recall she writes poetry, if she does.

Felt I had to raise question man I think in on Ockie letter with Secret Service because he told me he was going to Miami about that time. Permanently. Univ. Miami. I've not done anything else on it.

I do remember the invite. Medical care here is a real mess. I still haven't learned what I want to know, still haven't located any kind of expert to appraise us and our medical records to assess whether or not he could testify to probable damage from noisy whirlybirds. It all seems futile and I'm into too much to concentrate on it. Especially when the lawyer seems to be doing nothing. Par.

Odd your letter coincides with one to another in which I report that what if any part Thornley played in anything remains unclear, but strong suspicions are unallayed. Have you heard anything of him? I heard he had left Tampa, where he was pumping gas. Spent an evening with Carlos Castillo, who still calls himself and Kerry anarchists. He says Kerry was a good waiter and a lousy writer, too bad he didn't continue as a waiter. He hadn't heard anything in a long time, despite their friendship.

Again thanks, and best to you both,

sincerely,